

THE HERALD.

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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 31, 1881.

EVANSVILLE was visited by a \$200,000 fire last week.

The Colored Press Association of the United States met in Chicago last week.

The British Parliament has adjourned after a long and important session, but by which not much was accomplished.

Gold is being sent to this country in large quantities from England and France. Money will be plentiful for those who work for it.

GENERAL SWAIN, President Garfield's nurse, said this week, "I have been depending on his pluck for twenty-five years and have never been disappointed. I tell you, he is going to get well." May his faith be rewarded!

The Bowling Green Guards and the Monarch Rifles, of Owensboro, have been appointed by Adjutant-General Nuckolls to participate in the Centennial celebration of the victory at Yorktown, next October. This is quite a compliment which the boys will no doubt appreciate.

In speaking of the death of Gen. Leslie Combs the Louisville Democrat says that he was called the "boy-captain" in the Mexican war. He was called the boy-captain in the war with Great Britain in 1812. He was at least 53 years old at the time of the war with Mexico.

EX-GOVERNOR P. H. LESLIE was nominated at Edmondton on Tuesday last week for Circuit Judge of the Seventh Judicial District. The Seventh Judicial District may well be proud that she is assured of the services of so distinguished a jurist and accomplished gentleman.

AN INDIAN massacre has taken place in the little town of Eureka, Arizona. The entire population, consisting of about seventy persons, being killed, scalped and burned. No cause save the innate love of blood and plunder is known for the deed.

A PORTUGUESE immigration boom is setting in on the South. Portugal is the poorest country on earth, and is fearfully overworked. The Portuguese make good laborers, but have very little idea of social or political independence. We will gladly take them, however, for it is the proclaimed mission of America to be an asylum for the oppressed of all nations.

GEN. HANCOCK has given the American people another chance to think poorly of him. In a recent interview he gave it as his opinion that Vice President Arthur was an able and patriotic statesman, and would, should he become President, support the right to the very end. The American people have not forgotten Arthur's connection with the New York Custom House, and when the "superb" spoke of his honesty it would have been better had he left the words unsaid.

THE Prison Commission, consisting of Judge H. B. Lyon, of Edytville, Judge R. H. Stanton, of Mayville, and Judge William M. Beckner, of Winchester, was in session at the Court House, discussing the proper location of the branch penitentiary. Since the time of their appointment by the Legislature, the members of the commission have made a tour through the North and East, examining the details of the best regulated institutions. They are now on a visit to Western Kentucky for the purpose of selecting a desirable site for the branch establishment, and as the law which created the commission also provides that the new penitentiary be located on both river and railroad, the towns visited will probably be Paducah, Henderson, Owensboro and Bowling Green. The result of their deliberations will be embodied in a report to the Legislature at its next session.—*Bowling Green Democrat.*

THE Sunbeam wishes to know if some of the Hartford girls can kiss our Associate. We now desire to ask what the Hartford girls have done to the editor of the Sunbeam that he would have them thus scourged. We have not consulted the girls, but presume that they would soon engage in the delicious and exciting labors of approximation ending in an osculatory operation which by the generality of plebeians denominated a kiss with the editor of our Grayson contemporary as to have demonstrated the ductility, elasticity and capability of offering an exalted resistance to the immense attraction, consequent upon kissing our associate. In other word and, in fact, the Hartford girls are not dying for a kiss from either.

THE relatives of Baron Steuben as well as those of Lafayette are to be invited to participate in the Yorktown celebration next October. One of our family should not be neglected. We speak of the descendants of Count DeGrasse, who commanded the French fleet off Yorktown, and who prevented Gen. Clinton from sending reinforcements to Cornwallis. There is no telling what would have taken place had it not been for the noble DeGrasse. Great preparations are being made for a celebration which shall be the grandest ever yet held in this country, and well it may be the grandest, for it was the battle of Yorktown, fought on the 19th of October, 1781, which decided the fate of British supremacy on the American continent, and insured to us the completion of the work so bravely begun at Lexington and carried on through the long weary years atunker Hill, Saratoga, Brandywine, Trenton, Monmouth and the many other places dear in the memory of every true American. Every citizen of the United States should feel an interest in this celebration, and should not only take an interest, but should show it, if practicable.

SOME of our exchanges say, though on what authority is not stated, that Drs. Hamilton and Agnew will charge \$500 per day for their visits to Washington. Pretty high prices, but better to have had them in the beginning.

ACCORDING to the Kentucky *Lum Journal* there will be more lawyers in the next Kentucky Legislature than for many years. Most of them, like Whittier's lawyers, seem to have endless tongues and a "long and stormy" session may be looked for.

WE understand that some farmers in the State are cutting their tobacco on account of the dry weather. It is our opinion that they are a trifle hasty and that it would pay them to bide their time and wait for rain. Corn that is matured may be cut up when the blades are drying, but when this is not the case we would advise that it also be left standing for a time.

WHO dares say that Americans are possessed of no feeling of chivalry? Last week Mrs. Garfield went out for a drive and as she passed a gate some one cried, "That is Mrs. Garfield." Immediately every hat was off and not a word was spoken until the care-worn wife of our dying President had passed. Such is the tribute the American pays to sorrow, when not to the crowned head, otherwise situated, would be bestowed the slightest token.

EVERY Republican paper in the land is thrusting its little dink into Mr. Tilden's skin. This means something and shows clearly that they dread him and his influence in the contest of 1884. No better sign of greatness than is shown by these attacks—significant only from the number and the pertinacity with which they are made. The sterling old chief is proof against all their assaults and is quietly enjoying himself in his peaceful New York home.

GEN. LESLIE COMBS died on Sunday, the 21st inst., at Lexington. He was a captain in the war of 1812 and served through the war with great gallantry. He has ever been a prominent and useful citizen. He early became connected with the railroad interests of the State and has credit for doing much to advance their prosperity by his enterprising management. He was one of the few landmarks that were left to remind us of days long since.

ON Wednesday of last week the *Courier-Journal* came out in a magnificent mammoth double number. We are ashamed to say that Louisville showed her hand in that issue of the *Courier-Journal* as did also Chicago in a way exactly the reverse. Chicago had 56 columns of advertisements and Louisville failed to show up anything. Printer's ink is a power, and as long as merchants are blind to this fact they may expect to be left behind in this age of progress. Advertising such as we speak of has resulted in bringing trade from the South to Chicago to the amount of \$26,000,000 per annum.

At two o'clock yesterday morning, President Garfield was resting easily after having passed a very quiet night, up to that time. His pulse, at the time of issuing the evening bulletin on Monday, was 110 and his temperature 100.5, with symptoms still favorable and increasingly so. His appetite is moderately good, and his food is digested apparently with ease. Everything is bright and the chances now are that he will get well although another relapse, were it to come, would certainly end his life. A relapse is not now looked for, but it will be a long time before he can be considered as thoroughly recovered. Dr. Bliss says that he will stake his reputation that he gets well, but this, as an assurance, does not amount to a great deal, as he has not hitherto in the case borne a very great reputation for ability as a surgeon. The swelling of the parotid gland is gradually subsiding, the flow of pus from it being of a healthy character. Dr. Hamilton thinks his chances for recovery are good.

THE question of the President's inability is now exercising the minds of all the papers of the country, some advocating one side of the question by saying that Arthur should assume control of the Government, and others taking the other side and saying that he should wait until Garfield's demise, or that he should at least be in no hurry about the step in question. To this latter view we are inclined, although there is not a doubt of his right to the Presidential chair, even at this time. The reason why we do not advocate his assumption of the reins of government is that there is no special necessity, and that there is no question calling for immediate action in any of the departments which can not be passed upon without the intervention of the Chief Magistrate. True the constitution says that the Vice-President shall succeed "in case of the removal of the President from office, or his death, resignation or inability to discharge the powers and duties of his office." It is also true that a Republic less than any other form of government, likes to be without a recognized head, and as a consequence some of the interests of the country are liable to suffer by an interregnum however short or however soon the vacancy may be supplied. Arthur himself objects to taking Mr. Garfield's place while he yet lives, and we believe has expressed his intention not to do so under any circumstances. This, of course, would not be the case were the services of a President necessary, or did Mr. Arthur consider it so. Why then, if we are in no immediate need of a President, should we be so anxious about Arthur's succession—an event, the consummation of which, all Democrats and a vast number of Republicans profess to deplore? We can see no reason, and are assured that all will, in due time, be accomplished, and that the country will be safe.

MR. FRANK GORDON has retired from the management of the *Hawesville Democrat*. Mr. J. C. Riley assumes full control of the paper.

A TERRIBLE storm swept over the South Monday evening last. Savannah, Ga., was for several hours partially under water and great damage was done to houses, timber and growing crops. No lives are reported as lost.

THE Owensboro *News* is dead for good, and in its stead we are promised a lively, rattling Democratic paper to be called the *Saturday Post*, edited by Mr. Geo. V. Triplett, Representative-elect from Daviess county. We wish the *Post* the success it will deserve in the field of its labors, and we feel assured that it will deserve much.

FRANKFORT raised the tax on circus from \$35 to \$70, just double. The next circus that came along regarded the increase as an imposition and pitched its tents just outside the corporate limits. This made the city dais mad and they tried to prevent the street parade from taking place. They failed to attain this object and the show went on as if to spite the city dais.

CAPTAIN HOWGATE, of polar expedition fame, has become implicated in a grand government steal. He fitted out a ship with money which people thought to be his own, but which in reality belonged to Uncle Sam. Very few Republicans of the old regime appear to have been scrupulously honest in their official handling of funds, and the present set may turn out the same way.

SOME of the empty-headed, partisan fools of the East, because Governor Blackburn said that President Garfield would die, have made the assertion that he expressed the wish that the President would die. Nothing is better calculated to show the narrow-minded, political bigotry of Northern Republicans than such exhibition of party venom and sectional ill-feeling.

FOR two or three days previous to Monday, President Garfield's condition gave slight signs of improvement. From despair the feeling at the White House changed to one of faint hope and a brighter aspect was on the face of the physicians, attendants and citizens. The pulse which a few days before had run up to 130 now settled down to 104, and the temperature to 99.5. Hope was renewed in the breasts of the people of the entire country. Still we may fear another relapse and not for several days we can confidently predict his final recovery, even if the present favorable conditions continue. To-day is the sixtieth day since the shooting took place, and the physicians say that a change will undoubtedly take place to-day. Let us hope that it will be for the better and that he who has so bravely stood up under so much pain and suffering may not be lost to us.

COL. BOWMAN's wheat show took place as per announcement at Frankfort last Thursday. Speaking of the show the *Youngman* says: "The judges awarded the first premium for white wheat to W. T. Hearne, of Fayette, and the second premium to Isaac Wingate of Franklin. For red wheat they awarded the first premium to a sack marked at the time of decision No. 6, and having the bag marks of 'smoothed, long berry,' name of person unknown at the time, as the sack reached Frankfort by rail the morning of the decision, and before any communication from the owner. The second premium on red wheat was awarded to J. B. Bailey, of Boyle county. The first and only premium for wheat suitable for lower flat lands was unanimously awarded to James M. Smith, of Silver Creek, Madison county. Of the several kinds of wheat there were 22 samples sent the Commissioner, all of which, considering the season, were fine. There was a sharp competition both for white and red wheat."

IN anticipation of the campaign of 1884, people should begin to familiarize themselves with the issues which will go to make up that campaign. There are many of these, but that which affects the common masses because it is felt directly by their pockets, is the present protective tariff. Every man who consumes anything in the way of manufactured goods, and every man does, is interested in the subject of free trade, and it is to his advantage to inform himself in regard to the matter. What is protection? It is ostensibly for the protection of the manufacturing interests of the country, but it is really a system of robbery and spoliation inaugurated by the few to the detriment of the many. For an example of the true inwardness of this system, we extract the following from the *Free Trade Bulletin*: "My way of example, rice is subject at present to a duty of 35 per cent. Diamonds pay only 10 per cent. Now will anybody tell us how the country would be ruined if the poor man's rice paddy was reduced to half its present cost, and the rich man's brilliant sapphire made somewhat dearer?" The duty on fine lines is only 35 per cent.; the duty on the poor man's blanket is 100 per cent., making it cost him just twice its market value for the sake of a few Radical mill-owners in Rhode Island and Massachusetts, who employ but a few hundred "hands," and grind these down to the starvation point."

Some will say that protection not only benefits the manufacturer but is a great source of revenue to the Government. We think this can not be borne out by the facts for in a majority of cases the tariff is so high as to exclude manufactured articles, and the Government can not, of course, collect duty on goods which are not imported. Where, then, is the benefit to the Government? The revenues arising from the collection of duties on imported goods are barely sufficient to pay the salaries of the hordes of custom-house officials and therefore the Government is no better off than if we had no tariff. If we had no tariff we should need no custom-house officers and the benefit to Government would be the same for it receives and would receive practically nothing in either case.

Everywhere can be found thrusts at "old maids" and mothers-in-law, the justice of which we fail to discern. The writer hereof has never had the fortune to possess a mother-in-law, but as to "old maids"—unmarried ladies of 25 and over—he must confess that he has

Every day the Republican party is becoming more the party of capital as arrayed against labor in that it robs the laborer of his hard earnings for the purpose of contributing to the wealth of the haughty manufacturer whose goods are protected against foreign competition. This being the case, we may ask if the laborer and the consumer can consistently support this party, its principles or its nominees. Some of its principles he may admire and a few, a very few, are admirable, but because he loves the few, shall he cling to the party after being deprived of one-third of his earnings by the chief corner stone of the edifice? He can no more consistently do this than he can befriend the thief who sneaks into his house at midnight.

The Census.
We are in receipt of bulletins from the United States Census Office giving tabulated statements of the population of the State by counties and districts. The population of this and surrounding counties, according to the bulletins, is as follows:
Ohio county.....19,669
Daviess.....27,730
McLean.....17,486
Breckinridge.....8,563
Hancock.....15,784
Butler.....11,981
Muhlenberg.....15,098

To the Late Members 26th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.
LOUISVILLE, August 29, 1881.
Editor Herald:
Please announce in the HERALD that it is proposed to have a re-union of the 26th Kentucky Volunteer Infantry at Cincinnati, September 14th, 15th and 16th, on the occasion of the grand reunion of soldiers and sailors. Col. Farleigh has requested me to notify officers and privates that he will be glad to meet as many as may be able to attend. The expositions—here and at Cincinnati—will both be open, and reduced rates of travel will render it possible for all to attend. Let's go up boys and have an old-time "shake," hear a sermon from Rev. Grubb, a story from Ashmun, and speeches from "many of our old-time leaders. The occasion will be a grand one and ample preparations have been made to shelter all who attend free of charge.
Breckinridge, Daviess, McLean and Muhlenberg county papers please notice.
Z. O. KING,
Late Private Co. D, 26th Ky.

Caught Napping.
The Hartford Herald, referring to the election of anti-Democrats to the Legislature in Grayson, Muhlenberg and McLean counties, says that the only one in this section that stood steadfast to Democracy, or words to that effect. Our county gave increased Democratic majorities, and our gallant brethren in Hancock triumphantly rescued their county from the Greenback vandals. Yet Ohio did nobly, most nobly, and we give her full credit for it. Her noble people do not ride "Shanahans" when they go to election.—*Breckinridge News.*
David said "In my haste I said all men are liars," and perhaps we were a little like David in being a trifle too hasty. When we spoke of the "section" we, of course, did not include Breckinridge, for when that county and Daviess go Republican, the end of the world will have come as far as the Democracy party is concerned. The "section" spoken of included Grayson and the counties below which gave Republican or Greenback majorities.

A Correction.
We have received communications from Miss Bettie Loney and Miss Clara Simpson, of Owensboro Junction, denying that Miss Simpson stole ten dollars and a lot of clothing from Miss Loney, as stated by our Rockport correspondent last week. The young ladies administered some caustic epithets in their letters and Miss Loney rather incoherently by states that she has not seen so much as \$10 since she has been at Owensboro Junction, and that as for wearing apparel, she has not had any fine clothes—or coarse ones either for that matter—and consequently Miss Simpson could not have stolen anything from Miss Loney of which Miss Loney was not possessed. We do not know how or where our reporter got his information, but are satisfied that he got it from a source which he deemed reliable. We presume, however, that he was mistaken in asserting that no theft occurred or could occur. Miss Loney is chambermaid of the Sandusky House and from her letter would have us believe that Miss Simpson's character is as immaculate as the sheets of that famous hostelry—all of which we are glad to know.

Trustee Election.
This is our last issue before the election for seven Town Trustees, and it behooves the people of the town to select a sensible, conservative Board who will see to it that our graded school, which opened one year ago and which such favorable auspices, and which was such a decided success during the first school-year, is kept on the broad highway to the final destination as the leading educational institution of Western Kentucky.
People of Hartford, guard and cherish your school, for it is the pride of the present and hope of the future of our town and county.
We understand that no member of the present Board desires a re-election, but we have plenty of broad minded, liberal spirited men, who will make the town admirable public servants, and who appreciate the necessity of keeping up the school, for instance, Hon. H. D. McHenry, Dr. Jno. E. Pendleton, Judge A. B. Baird, Capt. Sam K. Cox, Dr. J. W. Ford, Capt. W. T. King, and Judge W. F. Gregory.

Water sales for ten cents per barrel.
Thomas L. White, for reckless driving, was fined \$100 and costs.
Grayson county seems to be in better condition as regards crops than sister counties. Corn will make more than a half crop. Some farmers will make 1,000 bushels.
According to a correspondent it takes candidates and whisky to make a success of a picnic.
Success to some parts of the county that one neighbor is forced to charge another for keeping a horse over night.
Mr. Cordie Adkins, of Oak Grove Sunday School, has memorized 7,016 verses of the Bible. Miss Ella Baird comes next with 4,046.
Mr. W. G. Gates and Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson married last week. Their ages are 71 and 65 respectively.
Corn is said to be as good in the vicinity of Paradise as it was last year, and last year's good crop was raised. Tobacco is not so prosperous.
The big tanning building is rapidly approaching completion. It will be the most important business establishment in Greenville.
From Poor's manual of the railroads of the United States for 1881 it appears that the Owensboro & Nashville railroad is not paying expenses. The earnings for three months were \$7,289 15; expenditures \$8,139 09; deficit \$847 84. Owensboro has a Fat Men's Club. It is to hold a grand banquet soon. Every member will be weighed on the most improved scales.
Charles Spencer, of Owensboro, went to St. Louis and had his clothes literally cut off by bugs.

Card from Corvato.
August 28, 1881.
Our corn is all drying up. It is being cut and put in shocks. Wheat is all threshed and gave about a two-thirds yield.
Mr. J. H. Kimmel will shortly move to Hartford, taking with him his estimable life and family. They will be greatly missed in this neighborhood.
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had a small bit—well, hardly of experience either—but he will say of observation, and they are as a class sensible, sound, right-thinking and amiable women, ever ready with a kind word for the erring and a tear for the afflicted, "with a heart for any fate," yet shaping their own destiny in a praise-worthy way not dreamed of by those frail flowers who are early plucked from the parent stem by perhaps some suppy youth—fitter, no doubt, to be under the tutelage of the much-abused "old maid" than to be the "husband," so-called, of one who as little as himself understands the duties and responsibilities of the married state. Bachelors are called "crusty" and perhaps some of them deserve it, but that does not matter. They can defend themselves where the maids, the victims of the satirist's keenest dart cannot. "Old maid"—a term which were it and its possessors better understood would no longer be a term of reproach, if such in the minds of sensible people it is, but on the contrary it would be a synonym of true worth and nobility of character and purpose. In nine cases out of ten we suppose it is firmness of character and strength of mind that causes them to remain in a state of single blessedness. We speak advisedly with this well-worn term, for a number of the married women of the day would be in a state of comparative blessedness had they never entered on the matrimonial estate. Out, then, upon those who, to gratify a vitiated taste or to raise a point for a flimsy quip, "old maids" as an evil to be shunned by all persons who do not wish all the sweets taken out of life or turned to vinegar by coming in contact with this class of females. A health to old maids and a wish for the sake of women in general that there were more of them!

Rockport Racket.
August 29th, 1881.
Editor Herald:
Hunt and family, of Point Pleasant, are in town, visiting the family of H. J. Young.
Mrs. Laura Fogle is quite sick with flux.
John Myers and crew went to Elm Lake Saturday night to move a water tank from that place to Rule's creek, near Elizabethtown. They report the tanks all dry from here to Elizabethtown.
Miss Mollie Lawton, of this place, delivered a lecture at the Baptist Church last Saturday evening to the effect of the largest and most attentive audience that ever assembled in that church. Subject—Cultivation of the Mind. The people were so pleased with the manner in which Miss Mollie entertained them, that when Mr. J. A. Woodburn dropped the hat there were 81 nickels passed in for the young lady for her first lecture.
Mr. T. M. Baker sold off all his stock, crop and loose property on his farm last Friday. Corn sold for about one dollar per bushel in the field. Everything sold for a good price. Mr. Baker and family left on the 11:14 train to-day for Texas. He left his farm in the care of his son, R. S. Baker, and will perhaps return to make a crop next year. Any one wishing to write will address him at Waxahachie, Ellis county, Texas.

Morganfield Matters.
Union County, Ky., Aug. 25, 1881.
Editor Herald:
Warm weather hasn't left us yet, and not much prospect for it to do so very soon.
Mr. George Marshall, living about two miles from here, has been to town to turn down last week. It was insured. A loss except the damage in getting out the furniture.
Some one, from Evansville, has bought out our saddlery, S. C. McCormick, and has located here.
Died—Mrs. Mattie Newcomb, of this place, on the 11th inst.
Master R. W. Huston, of this place, has gone to Cincinnati to stay in the commission house of Bishop & Spear, of that city.
Oxon.

Latest from the Counties Around Us.
Purloined from their Payers.
Breckinridge News.
The Cloverport High School has not yet secured a principal.
Jake Meserve killed a rattlesnake near Cloverport, which measured four feet in length and eighteen inches in circumference. It had fourteen rattles and a button.
James Farrel was arrested and tried in Hardinsburg for bigamy. His first wife is in the insane asylum and has been for three or four years.
Some well-diggers last week found in Cloverport some particles of yellow metal in the limestone rock. Prof. Osborne, the Fordville geologist, pronounces the metal to be gold.
A fisherman of Cloverport has a catfish which is as tame as an ordinary kitten. It runs at large in the river, but comes up regularly for its meals.

Editor Herald:
In the last issue of the HERALD I find the above "pertinent question." In response I will say the "anxious 43" do not look to the amended charter of Hartford for protection. It was revised by the same parties and in the same manner as the school charter and amended charter. All three were gotten up by the aid of a little class legislation without the knowledge and consent of the citizens of the town, and manipulated with an eye single to the enrichment and profits that might accrue to the parties participating therein. In the first charter they constituted themselves sole custodians of the town and school finances.
Having transcended their limit under it they found it necessary to protect themselves by an amended charter, in which they also empowered themselves to dole out the amended and revised charter from any obligation to the taxpayer. Therefore, from a retrospective standpoint we have nothing to expect in the shape of courtesy or protection from any charter that has passed through their hands.
But we do think a decent respect for themselves and their fellow-citizens should have prompted them to make the exhibit so politely asked of them without waiting to have it squeezed out of them by a 43-hour power pressure. As we have justice then we will have unity.
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Commissioner's Sales.
On Monday, September 5, 1881, at the court house door in Hartford, the following property will be sold by virtue of judgments in the Ohio Circuit Court:
In the suit of R. P. Rowe vs. A. S. Aull and wife and J. D. Shortell, a house and lot of 2 acres of ground at Sulphur Springs. Six months' credit. Ed. Marton and others vs. John H. Davis, a tract of land in Bartlett's precinct adjoining Jackson Yates. Six months' credit.
Edward C. Renfro vs. James S. Lake and others, 20 acres of land on Panther creek, near Taylor's, on a credit of six months.
C. T. Wallace, administrator of Franklin Wallace, vs. W. H. Paul and others, 114 acres of land and improvements in Beda, lying opposite D. Lowry Barnett's place. On a credit of six months.
Henry Allen's administrator vs. P. C. Alford and others, 150 acres of land about 2 miles from Ferguson's Station, on the P. & E. R. R. Credit of twelve months. This land is well timbered.
A. T. Hines and others vs. W. F. Bean, two tracts of land near Sulphur Springs. On a credit of six and nine months.
A. V. Day vs. Elizabeth Sapp and others, 50 acres of land on Caney creek. On a credit of six months.
V. B. Rains and R. H. Rains, administrators of Leroy H. Rains, vs. Robert E. Childs and others, 50 acres of land near Rosine. On a credit of six months.
A. D. Mattingly vs. Charles A. Clarke, 39 acres and 37 poles of land in Forsville district, near Elijah Crow. On a credit of six months.
Will Dyer Taylor's administrator vs. Will Dyer Taylor's heirs, 204 acres of land in vicinity of Cronwell. On a credit of six months.
John H. Jones vs. Thomas W. Brown, a lot in Forsville on which is a blacksmith shop. On a credit of six months.
James F. Austin and others vs. William Shull and others, an undivided half interest in the Cronwell four mill and lot and improvements thereon. Also, 100 acres of land on Green river, near A. M. Stum. On a credit of six and twelve months.
Alexander R. Hoover vs. Jacob Hoover, 130 acres of land, a part of the homestead of Jonathan Hoover. On a credit of six and twelve months.
John C. Townsend vs. Sarah J. Tichenor, lots 21 and 22 in Rockport. On a credit of six months.
Stephen Daniel and others vs. Harriet Coppage, 50 acres of land near Bartlett's Ferry. On a credit of six months.
J. D. French and others vs. George Samuels and others, 148 acres and 71 poles of land; the same conveyed to John French by Elijah Dodson. On a credit of six and twelve months.
R. S. Taylor and Virgil Taylor vs. James W. Johnson, two horses, one wagon and a milk cow.
Megular, Helm & Co., and John G. Roach & Co. vs. James A. Myers and Joseph W. Myers, 180 acres of land on the Hartford and Litchfield road, known as the Wm. Pott's place. Credit six and twelve months.
John P. BARRETT, Master Com. Ohio Circuit Court.

From the "Anxious."
Will some member of the anxious 43 please inform the public in what chapter or section of the amended and revised charter of Hartford will be found the provisions requiring the trustees of the town to make an annual exhibit of the collections and disbursements of money by the trustees? All the law governing the matter is certainly contained in the charter.

Editor Herald:
In the last issue of the HERALD I find the above "pertinent question." In response I will say the "anxious 43" do not look to the amended charter of Hartford for protection. It was revised by the same parties and in the same manner as the school charter and amended charter. All three were gotten up by the aid of a little class legislation without the knowledge and consent of the citizens of the town, and manipulated with an eye single to the enrichment and profits that might accrue to the parties participating therein. In the first charter they constituted themselves sole custodians of the town and school finances.
Having transcended their limit under it they found it necessary to protect themselves by an amended charter, in which they also empowered themselves to dole out the amended and revised charter from any obligation to the taxpayer. Therefore, from a retrospective standpoint we have nothing to expect in the shape of courtesy or protection from any charter that has passed through their hands.
But we do think a decent respect for themselves and their fellow-citizens should have prompted them to make the exhibit so politely asked of them without waiting to have it squeezed out of them by a 43-hour power pressure. As we have justice then we will have unity.
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is Mr. Taylor's second school at this place, he having taught here during the spring and summer. The attendance is good and the school, under the present management, bids fair to be a success.
Dr. W. M. Taylor was in town Tuesday and Wednesday, closing out his business preparatory to attending the lectures in Louisville this fall. The Doctor is a genial and successful practitioner, and his absence will occasion much regret. May success attend him.
I have been informed that Dr. W. F. James, of Mining City, will locate at this place. Welcome, old friend, to McHenry, where you will doubtless meet with that success which your energy and qualifications deserve.
Died, on the 29th inst., the infant child of Mr. Duke, also on the 24th, in Hamilton, infant grandchild of Mr. Addison.
Mr. W. H. Burton's little girl, Lily Bell, who has been very low for some time with congestion of the brain, I am glad to learn, is improving.
The McHenry coal mine is running to its full capacity. They are now about ready to take out coal at the new works. The tender mine is idle to-day on account of a disabled engine. They have been losing time

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 31, 1881.

OUR AGENTS.

The following persons are authorized to receive subscriptions and renewals, advertising in the HERALD, orders for job work, etc., etc.:

JOHN T. MARTIN, Rosine.
WILL COOPER, Cromwell.
DR. V. M. TAYLOR, McHenry.
JOHN W. MAHIAN, Rockport.
DAVID ROGERS, Buford.
JNO. T. SMITH, Jr., Fordsville.
A. S. AULL, Sulphur Springs.
JAS. E. SUTTON, Magan.
GEO. M. ROWE, Ceralvo.
DR. G. R. SANDERS, Centertown.
JNO. T. NEAL, Caneyville.
T. J. BENCH, Morgantown.
W. H. MURRELL, Beaver Dam.
WILLIE MAY, Haydesville.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. C. Hardwick returned Saturday from a business trip to Louisville.

Dr. J. B. Wells, of Louisville, is in town visiting his old friends and acquaintances.

Messrs. C. A. Shreve and James I. Hall, of Breckinridge county, called to see us last Monday.

Messrs. Osmar and Wallace Haynes, living in Ellis precinct, were in town last Saturday and called to see us while here.

Miss Lizzie J. Box, of Cincinnati, teacher of ornamental department of Hartford College, will arrive next Saturday.

Mr. R. B. Whittinghill, living near the Breckinridge county line, called to see us last week. He was visiting relatives near town.

Mrs. A. L. Morton and family, who have been visiting relatives in Hardin county for several weeks past, returned home last Monday.

Our young friend, Master John J. McHenry, returned from an extended visit to relatives in Louisville and Frankfort, last Saturday.

Mr. Claude Barnes, representing the wholesale firm of W. W. Williams, Louisville, was in town a day or two last week interviewing our merchants.

Mr. G. W. Gates, of Calhoun, was in town Monday night and Tuesday. He was accompanied by Miss Katie Hardwick, of this place, who has been visiting relatives in that place.

Mr. S. H. Darnall, of Louisville, was in town last Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Darnall has purchased the brick building on Market street of Dr. J. B. Wells, and by Mrs. R. J. Morris.

Mary Taylor, who has been in Grayson Springs and Elizabethtown several weeks past, returned Monday evening, to the gratification of her many friends here.

R. W. Norwood, of Hopkinsville, special agent for the Northern Fire Insurance Company of New York, was in town Monday and Tuesday. We found him to be quite a pleasant gentleman.

Miss Katie Hardwick, of Hartford, who has been visiting Mrs. Verdie Nall, on Fourth street, left for Calhoun to visit Miss Lucy Landrum per Saturday morning's train. — *Messenger and Examiner.*

Miss Minnie Oppenheimer, who has been the guest of the family of the senior editor for two weeks past, returned to her home in Owensboro yesterday morning, to the regret of the many acquaintances made while here.

Our young friend, Harvey Lintley, Esq., of Livermore, who has been visiting relatives in this place for a week or ten days past, returned home Monday. Mr. Lintley will leave in a few days for Baltimore to attend medical college. Success to you, Harvey.

Mr. George W. Short, of Falls of Rough, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Dr. J. T. Miller, for several days past, returned home last Saturday morning. Mr. Short has been engaged to teach the school at the Whittinghill school house, near the Breckinridge line.

Our young friend, Dr. Shelby Jackson, Jr., of Rockport, was in town yesterday. She is not only popular among the fair ones, but is getting a good practice in his profession in the vicinity of Rockport, though he is not yet a graduate. He will return to Nashville next week to attend medical lectures. — *Echo.*

Mrs. S. W. Anderson and daughters, Miss Minnie and little Nora, returned last Saturday from an extended visit East. Besides visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson's childhood, they took in Niagara Falls and other prominent points. Mr. Anderson, who accompanied them on their tour, remained in the Eastern cities purchasing a full stock of goods for the Bazaar. His customers may look for something nice.

—WANTED—A number of student boarders. Good rooms furnished. Board reasonable. Apply to A. C. ETZEL.

—I challenge the blacksmiths of Ohio county on the best specimen of horse-shoeing, to be exhibited on the first day of the Fair at Hartford. Premium, \$3., \$1.50 by myself and \$1.50 by the Fair Company.

DAN F. TRACY, Blacksmith, Hartford, Ky.

—Wanted—Onions, Red Front.

—Hardman's gallery is at Rockport.

—Pure liquors of all kinds, at R. C. Hardwick's.

—Fresh oysters for sale at King's Friday and Saturday.

—Bring in your chickens. Will give a good price. Red Front.

—Hartford College will open its second session next Monday.

—Handsome Torchon lace for 10 cts., at Anderson's Bazaar next week.

—Just received a large supply of groceries of all kinds, at R. C. Hardwick's.

—Why fool your produce away when you can get the very highest prices for it at the Red Front.

—If prices amount to anything, we predict for Anderson's Bazaar the largest trade this fall they have ever had.

—WANTED—500 beef hides and sheep skins for which the highest cash price will be paid.

C. F. SCHAFMEIER.

—SCHOOL BOOKS.—Have just received a large and well selected stock, have marked them very low, and will be pleased to fill all orders accompanied by CASH, at FORT.

—Messrs. John Armstrong and Humphrey Trueman of Pattieville, called on us last week. Mr. Trueman is the father of an eight-pound boy, which came into the world quite recently.

—Messrs. J. H. Woodward and Lafayette Vowels have changed their post-office address from Bada, Ohio county, to Hartford, Ohio county. Correspondents will please make a note of this.

—FOR SALE.—A one-half acre lot containing a two-story brick residence, garden, &c. Terms reasonable. For further particulars call at HERALD office or address 304-6.

W. H. NALL, Owensboro, Ky.

—Ball's Digestive Salt (patented) is a combination of Pure Pepsin and best English Salt, invaluable to those who suffer from dyspeptic tendencies, of which it is the only certain cure. See advertisement.

—We have much pleasure in recommending Thermanine to our readers as an absolute cure for malaria. The manufacturer's name alone is a guarantee of its merit. It sells at 25 cents per box. For particulars see advertisement. For sale by Thomas & Kimbley, Hartford, Ky.

—The medicines of Dundas Dick & Co. are unexcelled for elegance, purity, and reliability. Their Seditive Seditive Powders are as pleasant as lemonade. Their soft capsules are world famous. See advertisement. For sale by Thomas & Kimbley, druggists, Hartford, Ky.

—The Ohio County Fair will begin October 11th and continue five days, instead of October 5th and continue for days, as some of the neighboring fair programmes have it. Persons intending to visit our Fair from other counties would do well to make a note of this.

—Andrew Williams and E. R. Ashby are sole agents for Kentucky for the Harris & Smith Self-extinguishing Non-explosive Safety Lamp. Andrew Williams will canvass the eastern portion and E. R. Ashby for territory or county rights address them at Hartford, Ky. 221f

—Married.—Near Point Pleasant, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Brown, Thursday, August 25, 1881, by Rev. W. P. Bennett, Prof. James B. Bishop and Miss Mary M. Brown. Attendants, Mr. L. P. Loney and Miss Edna Brown. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple and party left for Livermore, where Prof. Bishop is engaged in teaching. They will make their home in the future at Livermore. Our best wishes attend them.

—We overheard a gentleman who was presuming to post in regard to the matter, remark that there is now in this county a sufficiency of last year's crop of corn to supply all home demands if not an ear were raised this year. The present crop is better than most people seem to think, so there is no use in becoming frightened in anticipation of a famine. Corn no doubt will be scarcer and higher than common but we shall not starve by any means.

—D. P. Coy and Chesterfield Daugherty, living in the eastern portion of the county, came to town last Tuesday on matrimonial business. After they arrived in town they bought a watermelon and seeing a good shade, they made for it with their horses, hitching them to a brick fence across the side walk. Marshall Bennett, seeing they were violating a town ordinance, "putted" them and took them before the Police Judge who fined them \$1 and costs each. They paid the costs and the fine was abated for sixty days. Experience teaches a dear school, but ignorant men and fools will learn in no other.

—The entertainment given at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Pendleton last Friday night was given in honor of their son, J. E. Pendleton, Jr., and cousin, Mr. Tim Pendleton, of Independence, Mo., and was an occasion of great pleasure to the young ladies and gentlemen participating. Their spacious parlors, sitting-rooms and halls were brilliantly illuminated, which made the scene quite an inviting one to the approaching guests. Tersiphoire was the goddess most worshipped and the merry laugh and the tripping of light feet to the viol's twang was sufficient evidence that all present were enjoying themselves. About 11 o'clock the guests were invited to a table where ice cream, sherbet, cakes, candies, and all the tropical fruits greeted them. In behalf of those present we return thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Pendleton for an evening of mirth and pleasure.

—Next Saturday will be the election of Town and School Trustees.

—Dress goods in new colors and designs next week, at Anderson's Bazaar.

—Will pay 20 cents for nice butter and 10 cents for fresh eggs.

—Don't fail to call early and secure the bargains that will be offered at the fall opening at Anderson's Bazaar next week.

—Will pay the highest cash price for 1000 bushels of Oats, 1000 bushels of Corn and 500 bushels of Potatoes.

—Hundreds of clergymen, doctors and others have used Kendall's Spavin Cure with the best success. Read advertisement.

—Time and tide waits for no man. Neither will the bargains remain at Anderson's Bazaar next week for those who fail to call early.

—George Robey, a prominent and respected citizen of Pattieville, is very ill of consumption. The community will miss him greatly should he die.

—This one fact is being brought before the minds of the people of the United States: Kendall's Spavin Cure is not excelled as a liniment. Read advertisement.

—Look out next week for the largest, cheapest and finest stock of new goods ever opened in Hartford. They will be offered at Anderson's Bazaar.

—We learn that Dr. W. W. Anderson, who has been East during the past month buying goods for the fall trade, has effected some wonderfully cheap purchases in dry goods and clothing.

—Mrs. N. E. Montague, of Cromwell, is moving to this place with the view of educating her children. She will occupy the dwelling recently vacated by Mr. C. W. Phillips.

—The Hartford Boot and Shoe Shop has just received new stock of material for fall work. Repairing done on short notice. Call and leave your order at once.

A. C. ETZEL.

—The People's Tobacco Warehouse, 341 Main street, Louisville, Ky., is still the farmers' and shippers' favorite among the tobacco warehouses of Louisville. Ship to the People's Warehouse.

—Owing to an interruption of the mails between New York and Louisville, we are unable this week to give a list of the bargains to be offered at Anderson's Bazaar next week, but our next issue will contain a list of the most astonishingly low prices ever heard of.

—Mrs. Mary Gordon and family, consisting of two daughters, of South Carrollton, moved to this place yesterday. Mrs. Gordon will occupy the cottage now occupied by Prof. Alexander and family, who will board with them. She comes with the view of educating her daughters.

—Rogers & King, Buford, Ky., will sell their entire stock of goods at and below cost from now until September 15. We commend this opportunity to our readers in that section as a rare chance to secure goods at a great bargain. They mean what they say, and must and will sell out in order to make room for the magnificent fall stock which they are going to bring on.

—The Standiford Hotel, Louisville, Ky., enjoys a continuous run of patronage, which, by the way, is well merited. During a recent visit to the city we stopped at this hotel, as we always do, and we were better pleased than ever with the hotel and its management. When in the city be sure to stop at the Standiford.

—We are in receipt of "God Bless the Little Woman," a song published by F. W. Helmeick & Co., Cincinnati, O., words by H. N. Fuller, music by Charles Baker. When President Garfield was shot he dictated a telegram to his wife and while it was being written remarked: "God bless the little woman." This is an excellent piece of music and will have a great run at this particular time.

—A rush of work to shop signifies that work and prices are satisfactory. This is the case with A. C. Etzel, of the Hartford Boot and Shoe Shop, who is forced to work almost night and day to keep up with the work which is being run on him. At his best he is barely succeeding in keeping ahead, and if the rush continues he will be forced to get another man. Give him a call and leave your measure.

—Zionsville, Indiana, November 13, 1880. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co.—Gents:—I have your valuable "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases," and your Kendall's Spavin Cure. My horses had the epizootic, one of them could not swallow for two days. I applied the Spavin Cure twice to her throat, and it gave almost instant relief. I could sell 1,000 of your books. Please give prices to agents.

Yours truly,

PETER BOWEN.

Ladies:—Please to send me your address and I will forward to you, free of charge, E. Butterick & Co's catalogue illustrating all the new European and American fashions. JOSEPH ALLEN, 100 4th Avenue, Louisville, Ky. 7-144f

Refreshments.—On Saturday, September 3, 1881, at 2 o'clock, p. m., on the Fair Grounds, we will rent to the highest and best bidder the refreshment and feed privileges for the next Fair.

S. L. BERRY, J. Com.

A. T. NALL, J. Com.

Notice.—To whom it concerns, and that is every person indebted to us: You are not to be asked but once for a settlement. Then don't allow yourselves to become insulted if you have cost to pay. Come now. We must close up this business regardless of consequences.

MRS. N. E. MONTAGUE, Ex'ors.

CHARLES MONTAGUE, J. Com.

Legal Blanks for Sale.

We have on hand a large supply of legal blanks of the most approved forms and are prepared to execute any that we may not have on the shortest notice. Our stock includes all the principal blanks used by county judges, county clerks, circuit clerks, sheriffs, police judges, magistrates, constables, marshals, etc., and will be sold at the lowest cash price. Call and examine our stock and send us your order for anything you need in this line.

Attention!

I must again request all persons indebted to me to give me a settlement of their accounts. I am in need of money, and unless attention is given this, I will be compelled to take more urgent measures. C. M. Pendleton has charge of my books.

Respectfully,

JOHN E. PENDLETON.

Rescued from Death.

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers. He says, "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicines. I was so far gone at one time report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when, to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have for three years.

I write this hoping you will publish it, so that every one afflicted with diseased lungs will be induced to take Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs and be convinced that consumption can be cured. I have taken two bottles, and can positively say that it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared, and I shall soon be able to go to work."

Sold by druggists. 7-8-1y

Terrible Accident.

Mr. El. Hays, a prominent and popular young man of Beech Grove, McLean county, was instantly killed last Friday by a saw-log which fell on him causing his death in a few minutes.

He was hauling logs for Mr. John Knight on Green river, and about sunset went down to the river with two logs on the wagon. He was alone, Mr. K. having stopped to attend to something about the camp, and when he got to the river, having no one to assist him, undertook to take out the head-logs in order to let the logs roll off of the wagon. The log not starting as readily as he wished, he took hold of the log and gave it a pull. Still they did not start. He then turned to get an ax with which to loosen the logs, and at this instant the topmost log rolled off, knocking him down and rolling over his body from the small of his back to his head, crushing his body and head in a fearful manner. His death was a great shock to the community in which he lived.

Reported by C. R. Gregory & Co., Live Stock Commission Merchants, Louisville, for the week ending August 28th.

QUOTATIONS.

CATTLE.

Good to extra heavy.....4 65

Good to extra oxen.....2 63

Good to extra butchers.....3 63

Medium to good butchers.....2 63

Rough and sea-washed.....1 62

Good to ex. feeders and stockers.....2 63

Common to good bulls.....2 62

HOGS.

Best to butchers.....5 66

Good packing.....4 64

Shoats and stockers.....3 63

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Medium to good butchers.....3 63

Medium to good butchers.....3 63

Good to extra shipping lambs.....3 64

Medium to good butchers.....3 63

The cattle market on all grades is from 25 cents to 50 cents per hundred live, except the best heavy stock steers. Sheep and hogs lower.

Harvard Manufacturing Company.

Mr. Isaac L. Hart, Superintendent, No. 3 Ashton street, says: "I have used that superior remedy, St. Jacobs Oil, in a severe case of rheumatism in my arm, and its effect was wonderful, having banished after a thorough trial, all pain, leaving my arm as well as ever." — *Full River (Mass.) Daily Herald.*

Marriage Licenses.

In another column will be found a plea for old mads, gotten up by our "irrepressible," but the report of the marriage licenses this week causes his hopes of an increase in the army of old mads to droop. The following is a list of licenses granted by the County Clerk:

T. T. Ashby and Nannie J. Tooley.

Meredith Dwyer and Rachel Haley.

C. A. Shreve and Amanda Wilson.

Park Coy and Margaret Daugherty.

Miss Lillian M. Reid

Has been selected by Prof. Alexander as Principal of the Music Department of Hartford College. Miss Reid is a native of Matawan, New Jersey, and comes with the highest testimonials of superior ability as a teacher and a lady of extensive training in the best conservatories of vocal and instrumental music. Her teachers have been those of extensive reputation, occupying the best training schools in the country. Those wishing to avail themselves of superior training in instrumental music and voice culture will have every opportunity offered them in the department of music in Hartford College.

For the benefit of those not acquainted with Miss Reid we append a few of the testimonials from her teachers and pupils, showing the esteem in which she is held both by instructors and patrons:

THREXTON, Dec. 22, 1877.

Miss Lillian M. Reid has been a pupil of mine and I can most heartily recommend her as a faithful, earnest worker in music, and perfectly competent to give instruction upon the piano; also, in thorough bass, and take pleasure in submitting this testimonial.

MRS. W. W. MOFFETT.

MT. PLEASANT, N. J., July 1, 1881.

Miss Lillian M. Reid has been instructed by me in a thorough course of vocal music, and has been fully equipped to give instruction in that particular operative method, which only is truly able to bring out all the best qualities of the voice. I can truly recommend her as an earnest and studious pupil, and she will, I doubt not, give general satisfaction.

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Miss L. M. Reid has for more than three years given music lessons to my daughter with the most satisfactory results. I most cheerfully recommend Miss Reid to any who wish to secure the services of a first-class teacher.

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Happy Hollow Bash.

August 29, 1881.

Editor Herald: We are still having hot and dry weather.

Corn is suffering very much for rain, and tobacco is heading up nicely.

Wheat is being threshed in this neighborhood by Joseph Bennett & Son, of McLean county. They did a good job at every place.

The health of our community is good.

Still they come. Born, to the wife of George Griffin, August 19th, a boy.

Wm. T. Woodward and family, formerly of this county but now of Missouri, are visiting Mr. W's. parents and friends in the Hollow.

Thus, Newcomb, of Indiana, was visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity last week. He says that farmers will not make a half crop of corn in Hoosier.

The protracted meeting at Bada is still in progress. It is conducted by Rev. Dennis Hunsberry and others.

Mrs. Sam'l A. McSherry, of Litchfield, is visiting her father, Mr. A. Patterson.

Mrs. Belle Moore, widow of Charles Moore, is at her father's, where she will make her future home.

Mr. O. King is a great marksman. He killed three squirrels at one shot on one day last week. The same day he killed twenty-two squirrels.

The storm which visited us a few weeks ago blew down J. H. Woodward's crib which contained about thirty bushels of corn. The foundation of the crib was moved by the storm.

Mr. Editor, has your Hoover Hill correspondent got the measles? If he had not, why does he not furnish your readers with some more of his hash, served up in his usual good style with perspicacity and other seasoning to match.

Mr. S. L. Baird has wound up his wheat threshing for this year. He was out twenty-three days and threshed 4,500 bushels of grain. Mr. B. says the people treated him well while out.

More wells and springs are being dug this summer than ever before.

Mr. D. Hicks paid Indiana a visit last week. He was the guest of Hesse Ward.

Mrs. Susan A. Bryant, of Oakland, Gibson county, Ind., is visiting her many relatives in the Hollow. We did her a hearty welcome on her return to old Kentucky.

Mr. R. Campbell sold to T. Larkin Griffin, of Hartford, his span of mules for \$300 cash in hand. They were two and three years old.

Mr. Cicero Burton, who was hurt in the coal bank some time since is again able to be at his post.

Mrs. Cynthia Hughes is living very low with consumption at Mr. Thomas Newcomb's.

